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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee
SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$)	0	

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
32	-20** =	12	x 9 = 108
6	-3** =	3	x 43 = 129

Multiple Dependent

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description				
Fee	Fee	Fee	Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20		
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3		
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		
1204	86	2204	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent		
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent		
SUBTOTAL (2)		(\$)	237			

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AMENDMENT A

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2004, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond that which is provided for in documents accompanying this Amendment. However, in the event that extensions of time beyond that which is provided for are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account 19-2555.

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